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Letter dated 7 May 2008 from the Permanent Representative of Chad to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

With reference to the letter from the Permanent Representative of the Sudan of 5 May 2008 (S/2008/305), and further to the letters I previously addressed to the Security Council, most recently on 1 April 2008 (S/2008/222), I would simply like to indicate that none of the content of the letter from the Permanent Representative of the Sudan is new or remarkable in any way, being yet another repetition of gratuitous and entirely baseless accusations intended to excuse Sudanese Government action to destabilize Chad, in flagrant violation of all of the Sudan's commitments, including in particular those in the Dakar Agreement to which the letter refers.

Chad has no involvement whatsoever in any action by Darfur rebels; quite the opposite: as a neighbour, it has always indicated its readiness to contribute to the best of its ability to the peaceful resolution of the crisis in Darfur. It consequently calls on the Sudan to stop its use of destabilization efforts, distorted reasoning and distraction through unverifiable allegations.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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